CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

Title of publication:	gncpvq
Other known title(s):	Not stated
OFLC ref:	1900573.005
Medium:	Image File
Publisher:	Not stated
Country of origin:	Not stated
Language:	Not applicable
Applicant:	Commissioner of Police
Classification:	Objectionable.
Descriptive note:	None
Display conditions:	None
Date of entry in Register:	28 July 2020
Date of direction to issue a label:	No direction to issue a label has been issued
Date of notice of decision:	23 July 2020

Summary of reasons for decision:

gncpvq is a highly sexualized image of a naked young teenage boy. The publication is deemed objectionable because it promotes and supports the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes. The availability of such material creates and encourages the idea that young persons are appropriate subjects for adult sexual attention. This decision is contrary to the right to freedom of expression under the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 but is consistent with Parliament's clear intention that publications that fall under s 3(2) of the FVPC Act are deemed to be objectionable.